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IRISH SPECULATING ON ANSWER

Intention of Sinn Fein to Carry Fight
for United Ireland into "Enemy
Country" Soon.

[By United News.]
CORK, Aug. 29.—Twenty interned members of the Irish Republican army in a Cork camp have gone on a hunger strike, claiming that recent decisions in their cases by the civil courts have invalidated the sentences imposed upon them by the military courts. Unless they are released unconditionally, 450 other prisoners promise to join them in the hunger strike tomorrow.

TWO DIE, SIX WOUNDED
IN RIOTING IN BELFAST

[By Associated Press.]
BELFAST, Aug. 29.—Rioting accompanied by shooting and bombing, which broke out yesterday in North Queen's Street and along the New Lodge road and was renewed later in the afternoon, brought about the death of two persons—a visitor to the city and a shipyard worker. Six others were wounded.

Armored cars were summoned to patrol the locality when the rioting started. There was a period of calm upon the arrival, but disorder broke out again later, accompanied by wild firing, which made the streets extremely dangerous for pedestrians.

DUBLIN CASTLE UNPERTURBED
OVER DELAY IN REPLYING

[By Associated Press.]
DUBLIN, Aug. 29.—Telephone communication between Dublin and Belfast was impossible tonight, as all the wires had been cut. At Dublin Castle, however, it was said that the situation in Belfast at 10 o'clock this evening was well in hand.

The republican ministers were busy today in consultations among themselves and with their supporters concerning the Irish situation, but it was officially announced at 10 o'clock this evening that no reply to the latest communication of David Lloyd George, the British Premier, would be sent to London tonight.

Dublin Castle Unperturbed.

Officials at Dublin Castle and other persons interested in the success of the peace negotiations seemed unperturbed tonight over the delay in replying to Lloyd George. It was admitted at the castle, which generally has received early news of any decisions the Daily Eireann is to make, that it was not known what the latest reply of De Valera and his followers would be. Optimism, however, prevails at the castle and, likewise, among a large section of the public.

It is considered probable that the reply drawn by the cabinet may be altered to some extent on the advice of persons outside the Daily Eireann. It has been alleged that De Valera's previous letter to the Premier was toned down before it was sent to London.

Carry Fight Into "Enemy's Country."

The report that Michael Collins, the Sinn Fein minister of finance, intends to speak in Armagh Sunday, is considered here as an indication that the Sinn Fein intends to carry the battle for a united Ireland into the "enemy's country." It was said tonight that if Collins achieved any success, Eamon de Valera and Arthur Griffith also represent Ulster constituencies in the Northern Parliament, may follow suit.

Mr. Collins' move is considered here as a dangerous one, the belief prevailing that his visit to Ulster may be resented by the Ulsterites and lead to trouble.

Collins, who also is commander-in-chief of the Irish Republican army, has announced he will address a meeting at Armagh Sunday. A reception committee has been formed.

Collins was elected to the Northern Parliament for Armagh, but Armagh is the center of the Orange organization, and it is believed the visit of Collins is certain to provoke strong opposition.

SITUATION IN BRITISH
INDIA IS MENACING

London Admits Seriousness of Up-
rising and Potentialities for
Its Spread.

[By Associated Press.]
LONDON, Aug. 29.—Reports today from the revolutionary area of Malabar, British India, indicating that British troops and cavalry had arrived there, tended to confirm the belief in London that the uprising would be confined to this area, although none here would deny the seriousness of the situation or its potentialities for spreading.

Sue Chicago Packing Concerns for 120 Million

[By Associated Press.]
CHICAGO, Aug. 29.—A damage suit for \$120,000,000, charging packing concerns with conspiracy to form a trust, and naming John D. Rockefeller, Sr., and his son, in addition to several national banks, was filed today in the United States District Court by Mr. and Mrs. Louis Osborn Person, of Omaha, Neb.

The bill, originally filed in Omaha, was amended to be filed in Chicago, due to the number of local firms involved.

The bill sets up that, "due to the scandal caused by embalmment of beef fed the soldiers during the Spanish-American War, your complainants were inspired to manufacture pork-and-bean biscuits, which would be at once edible and nourishing. Swift & Co. promised use of the laboratories, but the packing companies, maliciously, unlawfully and wickedly conspired to stifle competition, and your complainants feel they have been damaged to the amount of \$120,000,000, and they pray for a judgment for this sum," the bill states.

AMERICANS LAND FOODSTUFF AT RIGA

Actual Relief Work Well
Under Way to Save
Russians.

NANSEN SEEKS LOAN

Is Endeavoring to Negotiate
\$50,000,000 for Soviets to
Help Famine Sufferers.

[By Associated Press.]
RIGA, LATVIA, Aug. 29.—Actual relief work for the starving of Soviet Russia by the American relief administration was well under way today.

The first food shipment of 500 tons of rice and sugar for the children of Moscow arrived in Riga from Danzig today on board a chartered German vessel. The local Soviet authorities quickly arranged the unloading of the steamer that the first twelve carloads are expected to start for Moscow this evening, arriving there probably on Thursday.

Two More Relief Parties Start.

Two more relief administration parties started from here for Russia tonight. The first was led by N. H. Bowden, who was recently stationed at Budapest, and he will be in charge of the relief work at Petrograd. The second party includes Elmer G. Durland, who was recently at Vienna, Dr. Golder, of Leland Stanford University, and J. Rives Childs, of Lynchburg, Va., who will re-enforce the Moscow staff.

A Moscow message to the Latvian Telegraph Agency says the Soviet government has accepted the participation of a Russian relief committee because it refused to adhere to the decision of the government of August 18, which directed Gorky's committee not to go abroad, but to proceed to the famine area.

Soviets Seek Big Loan.

The Soviet authorities have offered Dr. Fridtjof Nansen, a first mortgage, backed by all the Russian assets as security for the 10,000,000 pounds loan which he is trying to raise among the European governments for famine relief work in Russia. It is understood that it also has been agreed to take up later the question of recognition of the old Russian debts.

HUN COMPETITION IS BREAKING DOWN

Experience Difficulty in Handling the
Business Obtained Through At-
tractive Price Quotations.

[By Associated Press.]
WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—German competition in the field of foreign trade is showing signs of weakening, Secretary Hoover said today. While the reports to the Commerce Department tell of strenuous German commercial activity in various parts of the world, he added, the Germans are having difficulties in handling the attractive price quotations.

In particular, the secretary explains, the Germans are finding it impossible to produce goods up to their former quality, while at the same time they are unable to execute large numbers of contracts. In Argentina, he said, the Germans were compelled to throw up a contract for large quantities of steel which they could not deliver.

Result Power

"I always get what I am looking for when I use the Result Power," said Mr. L. G. R. of Highland Park, the other day. "To illustrate, I had a three-room lower flat I wanted to rent to a nice couple, and while I ordered a Dispatch for three insertions, one insertion did the trick for me."

L. G. R.,
Richmond, Va.
Dispatch Want Ads Pay.

DEMOCRATS FAVOR WOMEN VOTING FOR NEW PARTY LEADER

Swanson and Flood Would
Have Them Cast Ballot
Tonight.

LEADERS IN RICHMOND
FROM ALL OVER STATE

Successor to Late Rorer A.
James Will Be Elected
Here.

Democratic leaders from every section of Virginia began early yesterday afternoon to pour into the city. The state is set for the meeting of the State Democratic Committee at Murphy's Hotel tonight at 8:30 o'clock. By that hour it is believed that practically the entire committee, with many of the associated women members, will be present. The executive committee will probably hold a preliminary meeting, from which may emanate pertinent suggestions as to proceedings and policy.

The first business before the meeting will be the election of a chairman. Secretary Brennan will call the body together, and some members will suggest a temporary chairman to preside for the time being, and then the body will proceed to the selection of a presiding officer to take up the reins where they were left by the late Rorer A. James.

Sentiment Favors Women.

Another question which has assumed enormous significance will be that of admitting women into full counsel with the body. Plans for an apparently crystallized strongly in favor of the women. So far as could be learned last night, there is no one willing to enter an objection. The only obstacle seems to be the rules of the party plan. It is not quite settled whether or not the committee may amend the rules and admit the women with full powers to vote and take part in the proceedings. This question will be fully debated. If the wishes of Senator Claude A. Swanson and those of Congressman Hal D. Flood are respected, the women will be admitted. Both of these leaders last night expressed themselves fully on the subject. They believe equal privilege should be given the women. Other leaders were equally as sincere in their remarks. This question will also be discussed, and some policy will be promulgated.

The question of the selection of a chairman is still in the air. There are no candidates for the place. Congressman Flood's friends stated last night that he could have the position if he wanted it. Mr. Flood said he felt highly honored at ex-

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TRY NAVAL OFFICER BECAUSE OF REFUSAL TO SAIL ON THE O-4

Lieutenant Faces Court-Mar-
tial Because of Alleged
Refusal to Do Duty.

BOSTON, Aug. 29.—Charges against Lieutenant Arthur W. Marvell, U. S. N., of conduct prejudicial to good order and naval discipline, based upon alleged refusal to make a trip from New London to Hampton Roads and return as commander of the O-4, were tried before a general court-martial at the navy yard here today.

Marvell, April 25, while in command of the submarine O-4, at the New London base, was ordered to take temporary command of the O-4 for a voyage to Hampton Roads, he protested, it is charged, because of the condition of the O-4's engines. After these had been repaired, he still protested against the order, according to the allegation. Another officer was given the command and made the trip without incident.

A letter Marvell is alleged to have sent to naval officials, in which he expressed the opinion that no military necessity existed for ordering him to make the trip in command of the O-4, was submitted to the court.

MERCURY TAKES JUMP TO 94-DEGREE MARK

Richmonders, After Contest Sunday,
Drop Thoughts of Cool Bins and
Concentrate on Refrigerators.

Minds of Richmonders had another lightning change in thought yesterday when Old Sol demonstrated his come-back proclivities and caused the mercury in the official thermometer on Chimborazo Hill to mount to the 94th degree mark. This jump, following the coolest Sunday of the season, when the thermometer registered a minimum of 63 degrees and a maximum of 77, caused those who had been thinking of filling empty cool bins to hasten to the refrigerators to see if there was a plenty of ice on tap.

Mercury's upward trend caused housekeepers to replace the camphorated garments which they had drawn from the closets to see if any mending was needed, and palm beach suits and other light garments were again given a minute inspection for duty.

Slightly overcast clouds caused the humidity to be rather oppressive, and the hoped-for rain did not come.

PLAN UNIFORM LAWS TO GOVERN AVIATION

Air Traffic Act Is in Course of Preparation to Be Sub-
mitted Today to Meeting of American Bar Asso-
ciation—Would Protect Surface Rights.

[By Associated Press.]
CINCINNATI, Aug. 29.—A uniform aviation act, regulating traffic in the air, was discussed by the conference of commissioners on uniform State laws today, meeting at preliminary to the annual convention of the American Bar Association, which opens here tomorrow.

Committee Draws Act.
The proposed act was drawn by a committee of lawyers and aviators, and after being considered by the conference was returned to the committee with several changes for further conference with aviators and aircraft manufacturers. Legal features of the act agreed upon today included recognition of the right to fly over private property, provided the flight is not so low as to interfere with the actual use of the land.

Requirement that an aviator fly at a sufficient height to enable him to land at a recognized landing place in case of accident and recommendation that an aviator be liable for damages if he does land on private property were contained in the proposed uniform act.

When final action is taken on the uniform act, it will be recommended to the American Bar Association.

Will Make Report.

Another committee, headed by Charles A. Boston, of New York, will make an extensive report on aviation, applied especially to Federal control, to the Bar Association, Friday. Mr. Boston said today that conferences with Secretary of Commerce Hoover had resulted in the introduction of an act of Congress which would control interstate flying through an air-

FIND FOUR MORE BODIES IN WRECKAGE OF ZR-2

Remains of Commodore Mait-
land, of British Flying
Force, Recovered.

U. S. RIGGER AMONG NUMBER

Hand of Commander Was Grasping
Control Cord—American Officers
Bring Badly Mutilated Body Ashore,
Car Still in Debris.

[By Associated Press.]
HULL, Aug. 29.—Four more bodies were recovered from the wreckage of the ZR-2 today. They are those of Air Commodore E. M. Maitland, of the British flying force; Mr. Campbell, superintendent of the royal air works, where the dirigible was built; C. W. Duffield, of the National Physical Laboratory; and Charles L. Allen, an American rigger.

Commodore Maitland's body was enmeshed in wires, and before it could be freed, those wires had to be cut. The body was badly mutilated, and his hand was still grasping a control cord. Two American officers, with two other Americans acting as escort, brought Commodore Maitland's body ashore.

The right leg of Mr. Duffield, like that of Lieutenant-Commander Embury, U. S. N., whose body was recovered yesterday, was fractured.

The control car of the airship is believed to be among the wreckage brought ashore today.

MISTAKEN IDENTITY CAUSES MAN'S DEATH

Young Cuban, Cornell Student, Floors
Youth, Fracturing His
Skull.

[By United News.]
NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—Two pretty, vivacious young women in black silk knickerbocker costumes, each wearing a mask, at a ball in a fashionable summer hotel at Allenhurst, N. J., led Jose M. Ancuna to make a mistake in identity which, he said Monday, was indirectly the cause of the row that ended in the death of Cecil Adrian Arthur.

Young Arthur was the guest of John S. Sutphen and Mrs. Sutphen at their ball Saturday night. While he was dancing with Mrs. Sutphen, a young Cuban attempted to "cut in." Arthur rebuffed the man and later, so he thought, resumed the quarrel with the same man. This man, Salvatore Laborde, a young Cuban student, is said to have swung at Arthur's jaw, dropping him so hard that Arthur's skull was fractured, causing death.

Laborde is held without bail at Freehold, N. J.

Ancuna explained Monday that it was he, not Laborde, who attempted to "cut in" on Arthur's dance with Mrs. Sutphen. He insisted, however, that he was the victim of a pardonable error, because a young woman of his own party was wearing a costume exactly like that of Mrs. Sutphen.

Plane Plans Journey to Gulf.

PEORIA, ILL., Aug. 29.—The seaplane Santa Maria, which arrived here late yesterday from Chicago, planned to continue a journey to the Gulf, after a stop-over of several days here. The Santa Maria started from Havana, Cuba, and visited many cities in this country and Canada, stopping in Chicago for the Pageant of Progress. The plane will stop at Memphis and New Orleans and then will proceed to Vera Cruz. It is hoped to make the trip from Chicago to New Orleans in eight hours' actual flying time.

FINDS A. B. ANTHONY FIRED SHOT THAT KILLED STAFFORD

Coroner's Jury at Peters-
burg Inquires Into Prince
George Homicide.

RICHMOND POLICEMAN
DOES NOT TAKE STAND

Formal Charge Will Be Lodged
Today—Is Under
\$5,000 Bond.

[By Staff Correspondent.]
PETERSBURG, VA., Aug. 29.—The coroner's jury which tonight inquired into the death of William Stafford, returned the following verdict:

"We find that William Stafford came to his death on the 22d of August, 1921, from shock and hemorrhage, resulting from a gunshot wound in his right lung and mesenteric blood vessels, inflicted at the hands of A. B. Anthony."

The inquest was held at the undertaking establishment of J. T. Morris & Son, and Coroner E. L. McGill turned the inquisition over to B. G. Pleasants, foreman of the jury, who conducted the examination of witnesses.

Anthony left to guard still.

The first witness was B. W. McGee, a Petersburg policeman, who told of going to the Cox farm, about seven miles from Petersburg, in company with Detective Sergeant John Wiley, Detective Sergeant Gordon Smith and Policeman A. B. Anthony, of Richmond, looking for Walter Hines, wanted in connection with the death of Policeman Washington Irving Curtis, of Richmond.

It was thought, the witness said, that Hines was possibly in hiding there. When they arrived at the farm they went to the house and knocked at the doors, but received no response. They then started to look around the premises. About 100 yards from the house, in a patch of woods, they found a still, he said, and Anthony and Smith were left to guard the property, while McGee and Wiley returned to Petersburg to get a truck to convey the equipment to Petersburg.

Just before leaving the farm, the witness said, seven shots were heard. The first two appeared to come from a distance of several hundred yards, the next two appeared to be one-fourth of a mile away, and the next two a greater distance away, and then came the single shot, making the seventh. The first six shots, he said, appeared to be fired in pairs with a few seconds' interval between each shot. Nothing more happened and McGee and Wiley went on to Petersburg.

Detective Sergeant Wiley's testimony was practically a repetition of

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MUSIC 2 MILES AWAY WAFED THROUGH AIR TO RADIO CLUB DANCE

Experiment at Home of M.
Linwood Mattern Proves
Successful.

Dancing by music played two miles away was the experiment tried by the Tri-Cities Radio Club at Richmond last night, when many members of the club assembled at the home of M. Linwood Mattern, 2409 Hanover Avenue, and enjoyed music which was transmitted from the home of Ralph R. Chappell, 2112 East Clay Street. The experiment proved to be a success and members of the club said that the music could be heard almost as distinctly as if it had been in the room.

Various experiments have been tried by members of this club and the Tri-Cities Radio Club at Richmond, clearly heard that was being played in Philadelphia and Pittsburgh. The radio station at John Marshall High School, of which Mr. Chappell was in charge, has received messages from all parts of the country, and the powerful sending apparatus recently installed has enabled Richmond operators to communicate with points several hundred miles distant.

HARDING ACTS TO AID ARMY OF UNEMPLOYED

Situation Will Be Studied at Confer-
ence of Industrial and Labor
Leaders.

[By Associated Press.]
WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—Means of providing work for the nation's unemployed, estimated by the Department of Labor to number 5,735,000, will be studied at a conference of industrial and labor leaders to meet here next month at the call of President Harding.

Secretary Hoover, who has been asked by the President to prepare plans for the conference, was at work today on the matter with a view to submitting his conclusions within ten days or two weeks. The conference, according to Mr. Hoover, will inquire into the volume of the needed employment, the distribution of unemployment, means of lessening the number of unemployed and measures to enable the necessary business and commerce to normal.

Washington Excursion, September 3rd-6th, \$4.00 from Richmond. Con-
sult J. H. & P. Ticket Agents—Ad-
mission.

Declares Women Far More Thrifty Than Men

[By United News.]
CHICAGO, Aug. 29.—American women are thrifter than American men, and more sincere about their home life, Mrs. Mary Baird, editor of the Ladies' Review of the Women's Benefit Association, told delegates to the National Fraternal Congress of America, in convention here.

"Our women are wonderful about saving," she said. "Desire to educate their children is the chief incentive. Every mother thinks more about their child's future than does the father."

"Young married women are especially thrifty. They feel keenly their responsibilities."

U. S. WILL MAKE MANDATE TREATIES

First Probably Will Cover
That of Island of
Yap.

ENTER FORMAL PROTEST

Peace Basis With Germany to
Entail Tripartite Nego-
tiations.

By Robert J. Bender,
United News Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—The United States government will make special treaties with the allied powers covering settlement of mandate awards, made among themselves under the Versailles treaty, but against which this government has entered formal protest.

The first of these probably will cover the Japanese mandate over the island of Yap. Negotiations have been going forward for some time between the United States and Japan designed to permit of this country participating equally with other powers in that important international cable center.

When an agreement is reached, it will be drafted in the form of a treaty, it is said, which will have to be approved by the other allied powers. No objection is expected to come from these powers on the so-called issue of the problem expected to be between the United States and Japan, and the Japanese Foreign Office, and the whole matter is expected to be cleared up before the armament conference meets in November.

A similar situation exists in straightening out the mandate question in Mesopotamia. Establishment of American rights in that territory will have to be done by treaty also, because the separate treaty between this country and Germany eliminates the provisions of the Versailles pact covering mandate awards.

The procedure confirms an exclusive forecast made in these dispatches that the peace basis with Germany would entail tripartite negotiations between the United States, the allies and Germany, from which treaties, confirming America's rights and privileges, as set forth in the Versailles treaty, would result and have to be ratified by all three.

GERMANY MOVES TO SUPPRESS DISORDERS

President Ebert Issues Decree Pro-
hibiting Demonstrations Likely
to Influence Public Mind.

[By Associated Press.]
BERLIN, Aug. 29.—After a meeting of the German Cabinet today, President Ebert issued a decree prohibiting meetings, processions, demonstrations and the publication of periodicals and pamphlets likely to encourage seditious movements.

The government has proclaimed its intention to suppress any and all insurrections or attempts to subvert public order.

Pigeon Smashes World's Record.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—A pigeon which carried a message from Mayor Thompson, of Chicago, to President Harding in sixteen hours' actual flying time for the 614-1/2 miles broke a world's record, the Department of Agriculture announced today. The bird was a product of the government's loft at Beltsville, Md.

Says Wife Bobbed Hair to Please Some One Else

[By United News.]
NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—Harry Novick didn't appreciate the bobbing of his wife's hair, and when he objected she told him: "Well, if you don't like it, he likes it."

This was Novick's explanation of the trouble in their home when the first court dispute over bobbed hair reached Justice Crosey in Brooklyn.

Mrs. Novick is suing for a separation, and Novick is resisting a plea for alimony on the ground that his wife had her locks cut to please some one else.

ASKS GOVERNMENT TO SEND SOLDIERS INTO MINE FIELD

Governor of West Virginia
at Midnight Calls on
Washington for Help.

W. VIRGINIA OFFICIALS
FLAYED FOR INACTION

Made But Feeble Attempts to
Check Insurgent Move-
ments, Charge.

EXTENT CASUALTIES UNKNOWN

Conflicting Reports Place Dead at
From 4 to 8, and Wounded at
14, in Sunday's Battle.

[By Associated Press.]
CHARLESTON, W. VA., Aug. 29.—Governor E. F. Morgan at midnight telegraphed an appeal to President Harding to send Federal troops into West Virginia.

Reluctant that large forces are again leaving the Cablen Creek district tonight for the Logan border, Governor E. F. Morgan sent the following statement to Washington at midnight, addressed to both President Harding and Secretary of War Weeks:

"General Handholt left here Saturday. At that time, armed men in Paint, Cabin and Lena Creeks and Big Coal Creek roads were dispersing. On Little Coal River, the vicinity of Sharples, Clothier, Blak and Creek, armed men in excess of 1,500 have refused to disperse when requested by representatives of Federal and State governments."

"On Saturday night, near Sharples, armed patrol attacked a body of State police, which returned fire and killed three men. These armed-bodies have also captured five Logan County peace officers and are holding them as prisoners."

Hundreds Are Gathering.
"We have information that several hundred men from coal fields of other States are gathered with these insurrectionists in the Little Coal River section, and we are in the possession of names of the leaders, who come from Illinois, Kentucky and Ohio. This element has threatened the lives of officers of the United Mine Workers of this district, who have asked them to disperse."

"Adjutant-General Charnock has just returned from the vicinity of Sharples, where he commanded the insurrectionists to disperse, but they have refused and are maintaining many armed posts on the roads and have seized passenger trains on the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad, transport re-enforcements to their camps. They have cut telephone wires and refused to allow their replacement, and they continue to defy constituted authority."

Destroy Communications.
"Large forces are again leaving Cablen Creek district tonight for the Logan border and have destroyed all communications on that border. The men now assembled in Logan from McDowell, Mingo and Logan Counties to resist the invasion will be utterly unable to repel the attack."

"Because of the imminent danger of great loss of life if there is a clash between the Logan officers and citizens, and believing it is my duty to seek protection for the lives and property of our citizens, I most respectfully renew my request for Federal troops to be sent forthwith to West Virginia for the purpose of quelling the insurrection and disarming those engaged in it. Delay, in my opinion, will prove most disastrous."

FEAR PITCHED BATTLE! ARMED FORCES GATHERING

CHARLESTON, W. VA., Aug. 29.—Adjutant-General John H. Charnock and A. C. Porter, personal representative of C. F. Keeney, president of District 17, United Mine Workers of America, tonight returned to Charleston from Logan County, where they went yesterday to investigate conditions along the Logan-Boone County border.

Adjutant-General Charnock reported to Governor E. F. Morgan that developments in Logan County today "indicate grave danger of a pitched battle within the next twenty-four hours which would be bound to result in many casualties on both sides." He reported a new gathering of armed forces and told the Governor that resentment aroused by the reported capture of several Logan County deputy sheriffs by unidentified persons, has been growing among the deputies' companions and "may result in an attack for the purpose of freeing the men."